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[x] THIS IS THE 35 U.S.C 371 NATIONAL STAGE OF PCT/JP2005/002776 FILED
February 22, 2005
Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the [X] Utility [] Design [X] nonprovisional [] provisional patent application of:
Inventor / Application Identifier: Tadashi MITARAI, et al.
[] See Inventor Information Sheet attached
For METHOD OF MANUFACTURING BEARING DEVICE FOR VEHICLE

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[]	This is a new patent application.
[X]	This is the 35 U.S.C. 371 National Stage Application of the above-identified PCT Application.
[]	This is a provisional patent application.
[]	This is a: [] Continuation Application
	[] Divisional Application
	[] Continuation-in-Part Application
	of prior Application Serial No
	[] Cancel in this application original claims of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
	[] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This is a [] Continuation, [] Divisional, [] Continuation-in-part, of Application
the	Incorporation By Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying lication and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

ENCL	OSED	ARE THE FOLLOWING:				
Х	7	Sheets of drawings ([x] formal [] informal size A4).				
Х	17	Pages of specification including abstract and claims.				
Х	24	Total pages.				
	Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney					
		Newly executed				
		Copy from prior application				
		Inventors deleted; see attached statement				
	Sequence Listing					
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		Paper copy				
		Statement verifying identity of above copies				
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X	Preli	minary Amendment
	Assi	gnment to:
		Assignment is of record in prior application Serial No
		Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet.
Х	Infor	nation Disclosure Statement
Х	Infor	nation Disclosure Citation
	Cont appli appli exam	P § 2001.06(b) states that in a Continuation application, a Divisional application, or a inuation-in-Part application, "the examiner will consider the prior art cited in the earlier cation" and indicate in the first Office Action whether the prior art in the related earlier cation has been reviewed. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the iner consider the art cited in the parent of this instant application and indicate in the first e Action that such prior art has been considered.
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X	Appli	cation Data Sheet

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PRIORITY CLAIMS				
		licant hereby claims the benefit of the filing date of the following provisional ication(s) under the provision of 35 USC 119.		
	of the fo	licant hereby claims the benefit under the provisions of 35 USC 119 of the filing dates ollowing applications as indicated below and which priority applications are hereby rated by reference in the present application: Japan Patent Appln. No. 2004-046946, filed February 23, 2004, Priority Claimed which certified copies thereof		
		will follow		
		are enclosed		
	Х	have been filed in the International Bureau		
		were filed in prior application:		

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ITEM	M — AIMS FILED AND FILING FEE CALCULATION —			Rate	Applied Fee
[] Basic Fee Utility				\$300	
[] Search Fee Utility				\$500	
[] Exam. Fee Utility				\$200	
[] Sheet Fee Utility	Ea. Add'l	Ea. Add'l 50 pgs. over 100 pgs.			
Small Entity e-Filed Basic Fee Utility: SEE BELOW "Small Entity is Asserted."					
[X] Basic Fee - PCT Nat'l Stage				\$300	\$300
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[X] Exam. Fee - PCT Nat'l Stage	37 CFR 1.492(c)(2)			\$200	\$200
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Claim Fees	Number Filed	Base Number	Number Extra over Base		
Total Claims	5	20	0	\$50	\$0
Independent Claims	1	3	0	\$200	\$0
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee	fultiple Dependent Claim Fee —			\$360	\$0
[] Small Entity Status is Asserted	Deduct 509	% of above for	ees		(\$0)
] Basic Fee Utility - e-filed and Small Entity			\$75		
[] Non-English Specification		\$130	\$0		
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- [X] Payment of all fees, including the total filing fee in the amount of \$900 is by credit card. A form PTO-2038 is attached.
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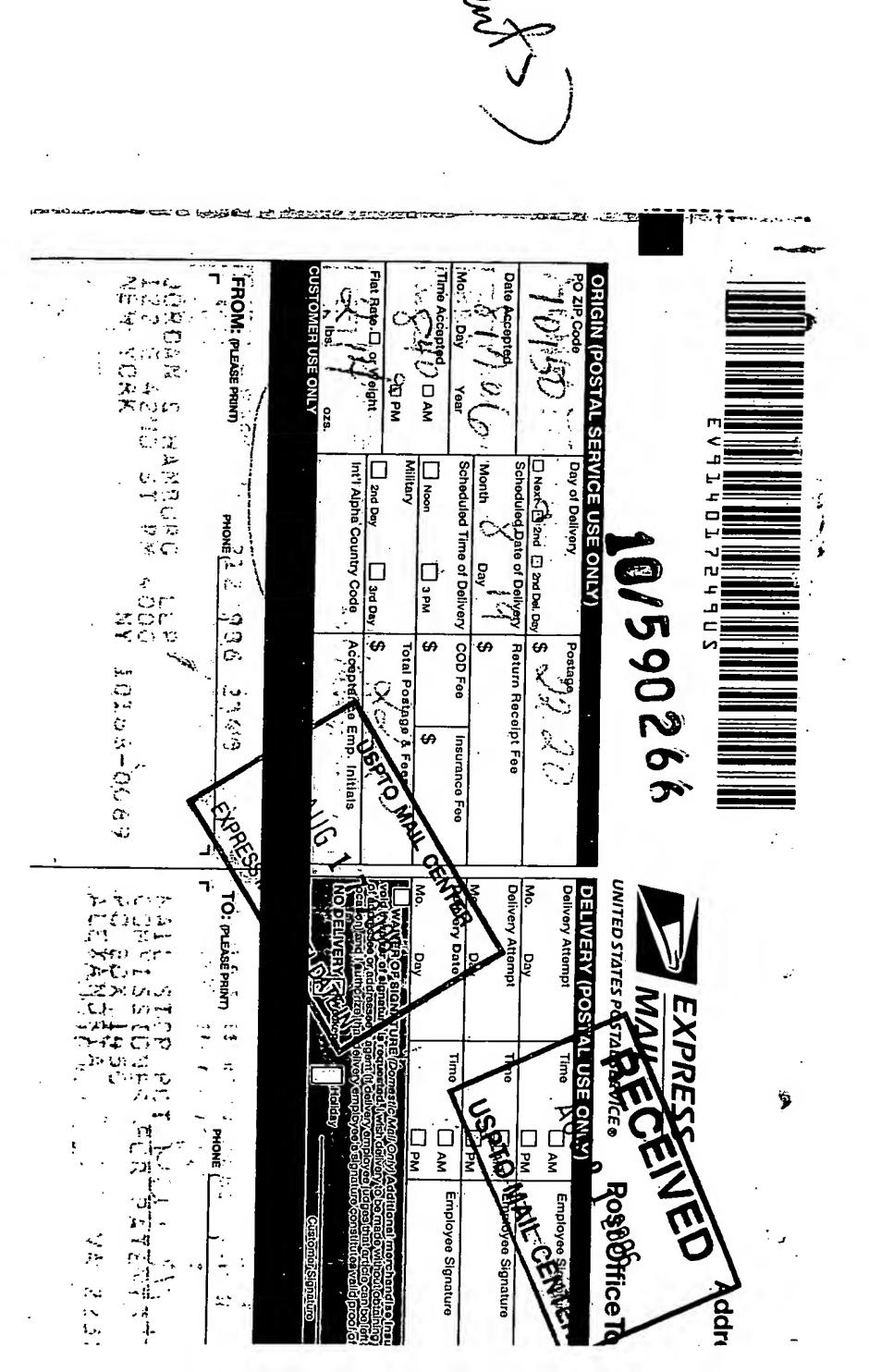
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